

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A portable communication device having a—~~proximity~~ contactless communication function, comprising:

an antenna for performing—~~proximity~~ contactless communication with an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication device or an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication card, the antenna being provided on a plurality of surfaces of a casing of the portable communication device,

wherein each of the antennas comprises at least one loop, and

wherein the antennas are coupled in series.

Claim 2 (currently amended): A portable communication device having a—~~proximity~~ contactless communication function, comprising:

an antenna for performing—~~proximity~~ contactless communication with an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication device or an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication card, the antenna being provided on a plurality of surfaces of a battery pack housed in a battery chamber of a casing of the portable communication device or

on a plurality of surfaces of a lid portion for closing a battery chamber provided separately from the battery pack, wherein each of the antennas comprises at least one loop, and

wherein the antennas are coupled in series.

Claim 3 (currently amended): A portable communication device having a—~~proximity~~ contactless communication function, comprising:

an antenna for performing—~~proximity~~ contactless communication with an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication device or an external—~~proximity~~ contactless communication card, the antenna being provided on a plurality of surfaces of a main body portion of a battery pack housed in a battery chamber of a casing of the portable communication device or on a plurality of surfaces of a lid portion which closes the battery chamber and is provided integrally with the battery pack,

wherein each of the antennas comprises at least one loop, and

wherein the antennas are coupled in series.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The portable communication device according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 1, wherein the antenna for the—~~proximity~~ contactless communication includes an electromagnetic interference

suppression sheet on a side in opposite to or near a communication surface thereof which opposes to the ~~proximity~~ contactless communication device.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The portable communication device according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, further comprising:

an antenna for a mobile phone for performing mobile phone communication; and

an antenna feeding point for the mobile phone, wherein the antenna for the mobile phone and the antenna feeding point are provided in separation from the antenna for the ~~proximity~~ contactless communication by a required distance or more.

Claim 6 (new): The portable communication device according to claim 2, wherein the antenna for the contactless communication includes an electromagnetic interference suppression sheet on a side in opposite to or near a communication surface thereof which opposes to the contactless communication device.

Claim 7 (new): The portable communication device according to claim 2, further comprising:

an antenna for a mobile phone for performing mobile phone communication; and

an antenna feeding point for the mobile phone,
wherein the antenna for the mobile phone and the
antenna feeding point are provided in separation from the
antenna for the contactless communication by a required
distance or more.

Claim 8 (new) : The portable communication device
according to claim 3, wherein the antenna for the
contactless communication includes an electromagnetic
interference suppression sheet on a side in opposite to or
near a communication surface thereof which opposes to the
contactless communication device.

Claim 9 (new) : The portable communication device
according to claim 3, further comprising:

an antenna for a mobile phone for performing mobile
phone communication; and
an antenna feeding point for the mobile phone,
wherein the antenna for the mobile phone and the
antenna feeding point are provided in separation from the
antenna for the contactless communication by a required
distance or more.